

Department of Finance		Fund: 0024
STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS		PAGE 1 Renumbered From:
<u>Legal Title</u> Guide Dogs for the Blind Fund		
<u>Legal Citation/Authority</u> Chapter 448, Statutes of 2011 (SB 543) Business and Professions Code sections 7200-7217		
<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>GAAP Basis</u> Governmental/Special Revenue Funds	<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>Legal Basis</u> Governmental/Other Governmental Cost Funds	
<u>Purpose</u> Moneys in this fund support the operational expenses for the State Board of Guide Dogs for the Blind to actively regulate the profession of training guide dogs for the blind and protect the public accordingly.		
<u>Administering Agency/Organization Code</u> Department of Consumer Affairs- Regulatory Boards/Org 1110		
<u>Major Revenue Source</u> Fees collected for instructors’ application for licenses and renewals and school licenses and renewals.		
<u>Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)</u> Pursuant to Government Code 16346, in absence of language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment, shall be transferred to the General Fund.		
<u>Appropriation Authority</u> Section 7200 of the Business and Professions Code grants the State Board of Guide Dogs for the Blind to carry out the provisions of this chapter upon appropriation by the Legislature.		
<u>State Appropriations Limit</u> Excluded - Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues are used to regulate the activities engaged in by the payers.		
<u>Comments/Historical Information</u> Chapter 149, Statutes of 1994 (AB 2388) created this fund. Chapter 51, Statutes of 2009 (SB 475) increased the Board’s statutory maximum renewal fee from .4% of a school’s expenditures to .5%. This fee is now set in regulation at .425%. Chapter 695, Statutes of 2010 (SB 294) changed the repeal date of the Guide Dogs for the Blind section to January 1, 2012. Chapter 448, Statutes of 2011 (SB 543) changed the repeal date to January 1, 2014.		